

WEST VALLEY CITY, UTAH

PROCLAMATION

**A PROCLAMATION DECLARING OCTOBER 8, 2008, AS
“INTERNATIONAL WALK TO SCHOOL DAY” IN WEST
VALLEY CITY.**

WHEREAS, West Valley City strives to provide safe routes to schools throughout the City; and

WHEREAS, Walk-to-School events have been planned for October 8, 2008; and

WHEREAS, the communities of Salt Lake County have joined together to create the Safe Routes to School Program; and

WHEREAS, the City plays a vital role in assisting other local agencies providing those safe routes; and

WHEREAS, the Safe Routes to School Program is comprised of numerous health and safety professionals and volunteers from the Salt Lake County community charged with manifesting creative solutions to provide safe routes to schools throughout the neighborhoods of West Valley City; and

WHEREAS, police-community partnerships, neighborhood safety, awareness and cooperation are important themes of the Safe Routes to School Program; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of West Valley City, Utah, does hereby determine that it is in the best interest of the citizens of West Valley City to support the Safe Routes to School Programs and impact that their participation can have on increasing the number of children walking or riding bikes to and from school.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Mayor Dennis J. Nordfelt, on behalf of the City Council do hereby proclaim October 8, 2008 as “International Walk to School Day” in West Valley City and encourage residents to participate in the activities taking place throughout the City on that day.

DATED this _____ day of _____, 2008.

WEST VALLEY CITY

MAYOR

ATTEST:

CITY RECORDER